## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Bus Passes – Extension of concession in bus fares of Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation to the Heart, Kidney, Cancer Patients etc – Orders – Issued.

TRANSPORT, ROAD & BUILDINGS (TR.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT. No. 1121

Dated:23-07-2008

Read:-

From the VC & MD, APSRTC, Hyderabad Lr. No. P9/294(4)/2007-OPD(P), dated 12-02-2007.

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## ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Vice-Chairman & Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation has stated that Dr. Arjuna Surath, Medical Oncology & Palliative Care, Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences, Secunderabad informed that Cancer Patients are being extended concessional travel facilities in other States to perform journey by buses. Similarly, Railways have also extended concession in fares to Cancer Patients and requested to extend similar travel concessional facility to Cancer Patients who travel by APSRTC Buses also.

- 2. The Health Medical & Family Welfare Department informed that the Below Poverty Line population suffering from serious diseases such as Heart, Kidney, Cancer etc., are now covered under Aarogyasri Health Insurance Scheme and are being provided cashless treatment for such disease in corporate and Government Hospitals. The Insurance facility provided includes reimbursement of transport charges to and fro from the Hospital to the Mandal Headquarters as well.
- 3. Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby decided that credit shall be extended to such terminal disease patients as Cancer, Kidney, heart, lung where after it will be collected by Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation from the Insurance Company concerned for reimbursement of Bus charges which are provided for by the Insurance Companies concerned under Rajiv Aarogyasri Programme.
- 4. The Vice-Chairman & Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh State Road Transport Corporation shall evolve modalities at Corporation level and take necessary action accordingly in this regard.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

## J.RAMANAND PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To:

The Vice-Chairman & Managing Director, APSRTC, Hyderabad.

Copy to:-

The Health Medical & Family Welfare Department.

The P.S. to Hon'ble Chief Minister.

The P.S. to Hon'ble Minister for Transport.

The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government (Transport).

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//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//